

# Lansing Fire Department







The primary goals of the Lansing Fire Department are to reduce the loss of life and property, and to minimize the impact and pain of tragedy when it occurs in our community. The department provides the following services to help accomplish these goals:

- Fire protection
- Advanced Life Support Medical Transport
- Specialty Teams and Services (Hazardous Materials, Confined Space Rescue, Extrication, Trench Rescue, Rescue, Water Rescue, High-Angle Rescue, Active Violence Response)
- Emergency Management
- Arson Investigation
- Code Enforcement & Life Safety Inspections
- Plan Review
- Public Education
- Special Events Preparation

Our members look forward to meeting you preferably under pleasant conditions. However should that not be the case, our aim is to be ready to assist and help you through your time of crisis.

Respectfully,

Randall Talifarro - Fire Chief

# 2016 Highlights

- 3-Shift Schedule – *Sustainable Practices*
  - Efficient use of staff (decrease OT, 3-more FF's on duty)
  - Increased accountability (direct/regular supervision)
  - Retained 100% of LFD trained FF/EMT's (-10% fully Licensed/Certified w/o local ties)
- Equipment Upgrades - *Maintain & Improve Infrastructure*
  - New Ambulance
  - New Cots
  - New EKG Advanced Life Support Monitor
  - 1-Lucas CPR Device (grant)
  - New Saws
  - New computers for all admin. divisions (less Emergency Mgt.)

# 2016 Highlights (cont.)

- Initiated Learning Management System
- Increased our use of Social Media
- *Flood Plain Boundary Mapping*
- Multiple Training Programs (Professional Development for Officers, Drivers Training, Pump Operations, New Hire Training, Blue Card Incident Response [Regional Simulation], Active Violence Response, Tactical EMS, etc.)



# 2016 Highlights

- 20,471 emergencies in 2015
  - 21<sup>0</sup>% increase since 2011 – (582 calls annually primarily medical)
    - 17,597 EMS calls
    - 302 *Fires*
    - 328 *Auto Accidents/Extrications*
    - 765 *False Alarms*
    - 239 *Hazardous Materials*
    - 1240 *Good Intent/Service Calls*

# Code Enforcement Highlights 2016

	2015	2016
<b>Citations:</b>		
• Disabled Motor Vehicle	86	924
• Trash	1008	4072
• Trash Submittals	83	513
• Front Yard Parking	19	131
• Cars Towed	3	94
<b>Revenue:</b>		
• Fees	\$47,000.00	\$169,892.00
• Admin Fees	\$12,190.00	\$60,685.00

# FY-17 Proposed Budget

- \$33,612,300 Total Proposed (0.7% reduction)
  - Personnel Costs 85%
  - Operating Costs 15%
  - \$2.9 mil. millage revenue
  - 6-Divisions
    - Admin
    - Suppression
    - Fire Prevention
      - Code Compliance
    - Emergency Management
    - Maintenance
    - Training



# On-Going Challenges

- Facilities & Fleet Upgrades
- Large groups retiring (Sr. Leadership, institutional knowledge & training demands)
- Demands of EMS, Emergency Management, Homeland Security, Planned Events (increasing)
- Increased service demands with IT



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- In Memory of Fire Fighter Dennis Rodeman and Capt. Stephen Babcock

